[ANARTS - Australian National Amateur Radio Teletype Society]

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  3.545 MHz                  0930 UTC     VK2BQS (Jim)
  7.045 MHz -3               0030 UTC     VK2CTD (Col)
 14.070 MHz (amtor/fec)      0030 UTC     VK2DPM (Alan)
 14.091 MHz                  0030 UTC     VK2BQS (JIM)
146.675 MHz             0030/0930 UTC     VK2JPA (PAT)
144.850 MHz (ax25 bbs)                    VK2JPA AT VK2RWI
                                            (or VK2AAB)
146.675 MHz (rtty mmbbs/repeater)          VK2RTY
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And a cheerio to Henry VK8HA who has gear problems and can listen but not transmit. Hope you are hearing us Henry.

ANARTS officebearers for 1994-1995

Last night the deferred elections for 1994-5 were held and the retiring committee was re-elected unopposed. So, if you can't remember who's who, here's a list:

President	Col Davies VK2CTD
Vice President	Jim Swan VK2BQS
Secretary	Pat Leeper VK2JPA
Treasurer	Alan Fall VK2DPM

Col has volunteered to be Newsletter Editor, and Pat is again the Boadcast Officer.

Can you help us in any way -- with news items, or perhaps you could volunteer to be a backup relay operator in time of illness etc. If you can, let us know via the callbacks on the different frequencies, or drop a packet message to VK2JPA at VK2AAB (until VK2RWI comes back on air). Your assistance as always will be greatly appreciated. Local news from your club is always welcome -- any news in the digital field of amateur radio.

Snippet from the contest replies

No - nothing to do with the contest - but did you know that the Maple Leaf Radio Society in Canada runs a Maple Leaf award for contacting Canadian prefixes. What was surprising to us was the number mentioned in the various awards, with the top award going to those contacting 200 prefixes!

We had no idea Canada had so many prefixes -- these date from after February 15 1965, the date when Canada received its official flag. The club is located in Ontario at Listowel, and if you are interested, we will include the full address from the leaflet which arrived with a contest log from Canada.

IPS weekly report
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29 July - 04 August 1994

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INDICES:

Date	29	30	31	01	02	03	04
10cm	76	75	75	74	75	76	75
A	14	11	7	8	5	5	(5 estimated)
T	31	33	26	27	25	27	23

SUMMARY OF ACTIVITY

Solar activity was very low all week.

The geomagnetic field at Learmonth (WA) was quiet to unsettled 29th to 31st July with one active period on 29th. The field then became quiet through to the end of the period.

Ionospheric F2 critical frequencies at Sydney were near predicted monthly values all week except for brief enhancements of up to 50 per cent during local night on 3rd August

FORECAST FOR THE NEXT WEEK (5 - 11 August)

SOLAR: Very low.

GEOMAGNETIC: Quiet until August 10 then becoming active. Isolated minor storm levels possible on August 12.

IONOSPHERIC: Near predicted monthly values for August. HF comms quality is expected to be degraded during interval August 10-13.

Courtesy of IPS Radio and Space Services, Sydney

VK2SG RTTY DX NOTES 29 JUL 94

VK2SG RTTY DXNOTES FOR WEEK ENDING 29 JULY 1994 (BID RTDX0729)

MOTHER NATURE PROVIDED SOME UNEXPECTED FAVORABLE BAND CONDITIONS IN THIS TWILIGHT OF SUNSPOT CYCLE 22.

OUR INFORMATION THIS WEEK CAME FROM DJ3IW AND THE CENTRAL EUROPE DX CLUSTER DB0SPC, I5FLN AND THE IK5PWJ PACKET CLUSTER NODE, IV3PBK, LA4LN, OM3LA, UT5RP, W2TKU, W5KSI, WA4RGH, WB2CJL, AND THE NJ0M NODE OF THE MINNESOTA PACKET CLUSTER NETWORK. THANKS FOR YOUR HELP.

BANDPASS:

FRIDAY 22
0202-14077 KC4TCV KENNEDY SPACE CENTER
0321-14085 FR5ZU/T
0330-14083 FK8FI
0342-14080 V31AR QSL POB 30, COROZAL TOWN, BELIZE, C.A.
0355-14086 A35CT QSL BOX 2290, NUKU ALOFA, KINGDOM OF TONGA
0552-14083 YW0CRV
1312-14087 OK1RR

1318-14082 UA5JBQ
1400-14080 HL5FRG
1630-14086 FR5ZU/T
1647-21085 FR5ZU/T
1728-21087 ZD7DP
1903-14083 YW0RCV
2033-14086 HK0DPA
2034-14087 YL2QC
2034-14084 9K2ZZ
2111-14088 RK4LWZ
2112-14088 UR3UN

SATURDAY 23
0156-14085 UN5PR
0202-14085 YW0RCV
0341-14086 A35CT
1030-14086 YW0RCV
1057-14087 4L1BR
1147-14086 TA1KA
1154-14084 CN8NP
1215-14082 YL1ZE
1309-14087 RA3DFP
1318-14084 YL2KF
1454-14082 BY1QH
1)53-14085 RX9C
1557-14088 YL2QC
1557-14082 YL2PJ
1618-14083 YW0RCV
1702-14087 7P8SR
1724-14083 Z21HD
1924-14092 VP5FEB
1931-14086 C31ZZ
2046-14085 9K2ZZ
2102-14087 HK0DPA
2115-14089 4L1BR
2150-14083 EA8ATE
2209-14086 CT1AAL QSL VIA CBA
2221-14089 LX1TI
2233-14089 VK2KM
2245-14085 5V7BB

SUNDAY 24
0150-14086 UN5PR QSL POB 73, TEMIRTAU, 472300 KAZAKHSTAN
0257-14084 UA4LCQ
0355-14086 YL1ZE
0424-14088 4L1BR
0:41-14086 A35CT
0520-14088 VK3EBP
0522-14083 YW0RCV
0531-14089 9K2US
1202-14088 YL2QC
1205-14081 YL1ZE
1207-14084 AP2TJ
1233-14085 HK4BKB
1234-14083!OK1FIR
1249-14089 ER2CQ
1447-14087 BV7WB
1512-14086 4L1BR
1526-14083 RK4LWZ
1528-14086 6Y5YZ
1600-14084 HP1XVI
1607-14083 YW0RCV
1632-14084 FR5ZU/T

1717-14084 OA8ACL
1736-14089 Z21HD
1805-14084 UX2DZ
1827-14084 YL1ZE
1910-14090 YL2TC
1925-14087 4L1BR
2040-14085 J88BS
2045-14090 EI2GZ
2059-14082 OH0/0H3TZ
2110-14080 CT9EXP SPECIAL MADEIRA PFX
2224-14083 YW0RVC
2236-14084 GI4LKG
2335-14083 PY2BDY
2349-14083 LU3MAM
2355-14092 AL7OC

MONDAY 25
0019-14090 AL7OC
0059-14086 UN5PR
0138-14084 HP2VX
0212-14079 CE3GN
0324-14084 FR5ZU/T
0342-14091 HC1MX
0343-14082 V31AR
0351-14084 ZL3AAT
0400-14087 FK8FI
0405-14086 A35CT
0432-14088 XE1EKX
0540-14081 YW0RCV
0720-14087 CT1AAL
0730-14083 EW1MM GARY JUST STARTED ON RTTY TODAY
0740-14086 YU7AE
0925-14082 EW1AAC QSL VIA F6AML
1047-14083 YW0RCV
1246-14085 FR5ZU/T
1605-14086 4Z5GN
1742-14083 Z21HD
2154-14084 CN8ST

TUESDAY 26
0040-14086 S92ZM
0056-14085 PZ1BS
0310-14084 A45ZX QSL POB 123, MUSCAT, SULTANATE OF OMAN
0850-14086 EM5U
0855-14083 ER1PE
0905-14083 CT1AAL
1110-14088 YL2QC
1419-14088 UY9RE
1457-14088 ER2CQ
1530-14083 RA9FZ
1722-14084 Z21HD
1726-14085 ZS6BTE
2130-14085 TA2II QSL VIA TA2D
2155-14086 EA9KQ
2318-14083 EI3EJ
2327-14087 GI3ONZ

WEDNESDAY 27
0048-14088 UN5PR
0355-14084 F9LC/FO
0432-14082 V73/W7IDJ
1313-14084 YB3AQF QSL TO JULIAN MORRAL, J.L.VKLAMPISSHARAPANI/
NO E, BLOK AA-2, SURABAYA, INDONESIA

1906-14084 TU4EI
2147-14084 IS6QDV
2318-14085 F0/F9LC

THURSDAY 28
0410-14089 VK5ABK
0415-14084 FK8FI

NOTES OF INTEREST:

NOW UNTIL 30 SEPTEMBER SPECIAL EVENT STATION OM9SNP IS ACTIVE ON CW/SSB/RTTY 160-10M. WITH THIS STATION SLOVAK AMATEURS ARE COMMEMORATING THE 50TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE SLOVAK NATIONAL UP-RISING DURING WORLD WAR II, AS WELL AS REMEMBERING ALL THEIR WAR DEAD. QSL TO OM3LA.

SVALBARD, JW - TOM, LA4LN AND MAGNE, LB3RC, WILL SIGN JW4LN AND LB3RC/JW RESPECTIVELY FROM 1-20 AUGUST. AS THEIR DXING WILL BE INCIDENTAL TO THEIR SCIENTIFIC ACTIVITIES, THEIR BATTERY/GAS-OLINE POWERED CW/PHONE/DIGITAL OPERATIONS, ON 160-10M, WILL BE DEPENDENT UPON LOCAL CONDITIONS SUCH AS WX AND CHASING AWAY POLAR BEARS! QSL DIRECT TO HOME ADDRESSES IN NORWAY AS FOLLOWS: JW4LN VIA LA4LN, TOM VICTOR SEGALSTAD, P.O. BOX 15, KJELSIS, N-0411 OSLO. LB3RC/JW VIA LB3RC, MAGNE NICOLAYSEN, \STGAARD GATE 23 B, N-0474 OSLO.

FOR NEXT WEEK'S BULLETIN SEND YOUR BANDPASS AND NOTES OF INTEREST TO LUCIANO, I5FLN AT ZS5S.ZAF.AF

73 ES GOOD HUNTING DE JULES W2JGR AT W2TKU.#SQRFL.FL.USA.NA OR AT W5KSI.#NOLA.LA.USA.NA

[via HF AMTOR]

ARLD045 DX news

The items in this week's bulletin are courtesy of Bob, WB2CJL, Joe, NJ1Q, Paul, KB1BE, 9V1ZP, the OPDX Bulletin and the YCCC DX PacketCluster network. Thanks.

SENEGAL. Jean-Louis, 6W6JX, is very active on 40, 30, 20 and 15 meters between 0630 and 0930z, and again from 1630 to 1900z. QSL via CBA.

EASTERN MALAYSIA. Dave, 9M8BT, has been heard on 14220 and 14226 kHz operating free style between 1315 and 1500z. QSL via N5FTR.

ANGOLA. Rich, D2/AA4HU, was on the 14226 DX Net around 2245z.

BANGLADESH. Erik, S21ZG, was recently heard calling CQ on 14006 kHz at 0108z with very few takers.

BRUNEI. V85KX was very active on 14025 kHz between 1230 and 1430z. QSL via G3JKX.

MAYOTTE. Elio, FH5CB, is on almost daily. Check 14256 kHz between 0400 and 0500z. QSL via FH8CB.

FAROE ISLANDS. OY1R was heard on CW between 14040 and 14050 kHz from 1245 to 1545z. QSL via W2KF. OY1HJ was on SSB at

14258 kHz around 1515z. QSL via OY6FRA.

SINGAPORE. Michael, 9V1ZP, phoned the DXCC Desk on Friday to announce that 9V1 stations will be signing S61 plus their regular suffix for one month starting August 13, 1994. This is in celebration of the 25th anniversary of IARU member-society SARTS, the Singapore Amateur Radio Transmitting Society.

SUBSCRIPTIONS.

Members are reminded that ANARTS Financial Year commenced on 1st July 1994 and that subscriptions are now due. We have had a freebie for 12 months as a gesture to our members but it could not continue that way for ever.

So please send $10 (you know, the pretty blue note) to our Secretary who will process it under our new system which should prevent delays and transit problems.

Send to the official ANARTS address at Box 860, CROWS NEST. NSW. please.

Society information

The Society may be contacted at : PO Box 860, Crows Nest 2065 Australia, for such matters as membership and general enquiries. Enquiries can also be made by packet to the President (Col) VK2CTD, or the Secretary (Pat) VK2JPA at VK2RWI.

News items may be sent to Broadcast Officer PO Box 60 Blacktown 2148 Australia, or by packet to VK2JPA at VK2RWI. Email addresses for the Broadcast Officer are :

patl(at)pitt.conmusic.su.oz.au

The Society welcomes news items on any digital subjects from anywhere in the broadcast coverage area. We know we reach New Zealand and many South Pacific islands, and we were reaching as far north as Japan when conditions were right. We are looking forward to news from your areas to let other amateurs know what you are doing in the hobby. Hope to hear from you.

73s de Pat VK2JPA Broadcast Officer
That concludes the broadcast for this morning/evening.
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